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MCC launches 'Jal Diwali'

90 women leaders visit Hongalli Water Treatment Plant near KRS

Mysuru, Nov. 7 (BLU&BS)- As many as 90 women heads of 30 women's Self-Help Groups (SHGs) in Mysuru city were introduced to the nitty-gritty of water supply, by a visit to Mysuru City Corporation's (MCC) Water Treatment Plant at Hongalli near Krishna Raja Sagar (KRS) Dam in Mandya district this morning.

The programme is conducted as part of the three-day 'Jal Diwali' campaign organised by Union Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs under the initiative "Women for Water, Water for Women Campaign" under its flagship scheme — Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT), in partnership with National Urban Livelihood Mission (NULM), that concludes on Nov. 9.

KUWS&DB Executive Engineer Asif Khaleel interacting with women heads of Women Self-Help Groups (SHGs) from Mysuru during their visit to Hongalli Water Treatment Plant near KRS Dam in Mandya this morning. Picture right shows samples of various treatment method.

As part of the programme, MCC Additional Commissioner M.J. Roopa and Karnataka Urban Water Supply and Drainage Board (KUWS&DB) Executive Engineer Asif Khaleel explained the women heads of SHGs about various methods followed in drinking water supply — lifting water from the canals, followed by treatment and pumping of water to Central Storage Reservoir (CSR) at Vijayanagar in Mysuru to be distributed to the consumers at the final stage.

Khaleel explained, "Water lifted from canals will be first purified using Silica Sand (the incoming water enters the filter and migrates through the silica sand), successfully removing any solids or debris from the water, followed by 'Anthracite' to remove various types of sediment, turbidity and organic matter from water. The water will be later filtered in 'V-Wire Filter Unit' and treated using Chlorine gas, before supplying it to Vijayanagar's CSR."

MCC Additional Commissioner Roopa said: "The top 90 leaders from 30 women SHGs in MCC limits are selected for this programme, which aims to create a platform for women in water governance. Following the conclusion of the programme, the participants will disseminate information with door-to-door visits on how water should be judiciously used in an economical manner, without wasting the natural resource."

(See JAL DIWALI on page 7)

Heavy rains cause havoc in city

Downpour predicted for two more days

A tree fallen across Pulikeshi Road during yesterday's rain.

Mysuru, Nov. 7 (MTY&KS)- Last evening's relentless downpour of moderate to heavy rains unleashed untold misery upon the city, severely disrupting normal life. The unrelenting rainfall led to several trees getting uprooted and rainwater infiltrating houses in low-lying areas. The residents endured a sleepless night, grappling with the arduous task of removing water that had flooded into their homes.

The rain began around 6.30 pm and continued incessantly until approximately 10 pm, followed by a drizzle that persisted until 2 am. While certain parts of the city bore the brunt of heavy rainfall, other areas experienced comparatively milder showers. The roads in regions where the rainfall was heaviest transformed into small streams, with manholes overflowing and their contents mingling with rainwater.

Manhole bursts open near Jaladarshini Guest House

Consequences of heavy rains were still evident this morning when a manhole burst open near Jaladarshini Guest House, which houses the residence of the Deputy Commissioner and the offices of the Member of Parliament and other high-profile elected representatives and officers. The overflow of sewage-mixed water on the road created an unbearable stench.

Two-wheeler riders on their way to offices faced severe hardships as they had to navigate the road with sewage water being sprayed on them. The manhole is responsible for carrying sewage from the CFTRI housing complex and nearby quarters. According to the staff at the official accommodations, every heavy rainfall event results in the manhole bursting open.

(See RAINS on page 6)

Former Chikkamagaluru MP

D.B. Chandre Gowda passes away

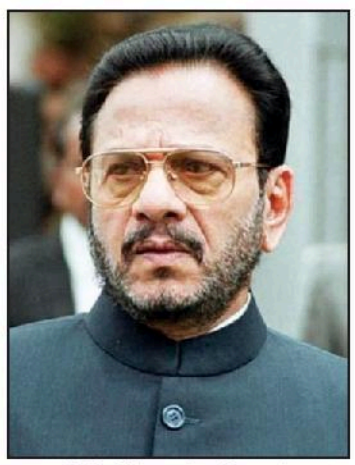
Had a rare distinction of representing all four Houses of Democracy from multiple political parties

Mysuru, Nov. 7 (Agencies)- Daradahalli Byregowda Chandre Gowda (D.B. Chandre Gowda), a distinguished senior politician in Karnataka, passed away at his residence in Daradahalli, Mudigere taluk in Chikkamagaluru district during the early hours of today. He was 87 years old.

He is survived by his wife B.S. Poorna and four daughters.

One of his most remarkable achievements was his representation of various political parties over five decades in Karnataka's political landscape. He was associated with the Praja Socialist Party, Karnataka Kranti Ranga, Janata Party, Janata Dal, Indian National Congress, and the Bharatiya Janata Party, making him a unique figure in Karnataka's political history.

Chandre Gowda had the distinction of serving in all four Houses of Democracy in India



D.B. Chandre Gowda

— Legislative Assembly, Legislative Council, Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha. In addition to being elected to all four Houses of the Legislature in the country, he served as the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly from 1983 to 1985. An Advocate by profession, Chandre Gowda entered electoral politics in 1971.

(See CHANDRE GOWDA on page 6)

STAR OF MYSORE

"We believe comment is free, but facts are sacred."

Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.

Mysuru, Tuesday 7th November 2023

Vokkaliga Yuva Brigade to hold Udyoga Mela on Nov.19

Mysuru, Nov.7 (SPN&DM)- The Vokkaliga Yuva Brigade, in association with NRI Vokkaliga Brigade, will be conducting a 'Udyoga Mela' (Job fair) for children of farmers, at the BGS Spiritual and Cultural Centre in Lakshmikanthaswamy temple premises located in Hebbal Industrial Area here at 10 am on Nov.19.

Former Kidwai Memorial Institute of Oncology, Bengaluru, Director Dr. C. Ramachandra will inaugurate the Udyoga Mela in the presence of Adichunchanagiri Mutt Seer Dr. Sri Nirmalanandanatha Swamiji, Mysuru Shakha Mutt Seer Someshwaranatha Swamiji and Mysuru Ramakrishna Ashram President Swami Muktidanandaji. Former IPS Officer and RERA President H.C. Kishorechandra, Senior Journalist Channegowda, Housing and Urban Affairs Ministry Consultant Abhijit, IAS Officers Pradeep Prabhakar, N. Manjushri and S.N. Balachandra, IPS Officers N.Yatish, M. Muthuraj and Prithvik Shankar and others will be present, according to a press release. For more details, call Mob: 96865-64192.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

Many stressful decisions characterise middle-aged life, but none more than buying furniture and painting walls. In simpler times, in the days of my parents, this was not much of a deal. You kept porcelain crockery, the precious-looking kind that you never used, in glass cases in the living room. Storage receptacles like the almirah, usually from Godrej or Raj & Raj, which housed everything from clothes to family jewellery, were chosen purely based on the thickness of the steel. This, of course, made sense since its purpose was to prove protection against, according to urban legend, the "acid" that all dacoits carried.

Not that displaying the family crockery in the living room was similarly logical. Still, my generation knew better than to ask elders questions. However, the conventions of interior design were well established: a money plant next to the couch, a vase on the coffee table, a framed picture of the Mona Lisa on the wall next to Rabindranath Tagore and of all the things people were judged on, their choice of furniture and design was not one of them.

Fast-forward to today. The pernicious YouTube and television have implanted in our collective minds an aesthetic, driven by influencers in the pay of furniture and paint companies, of what well-designed living spaces should be. So, no, you cannot paint all walls with the same paint shade; that would be too economical. You need accent walls, one wall painted in a totally different way, so yes, buy a totally useless can of paint or five.

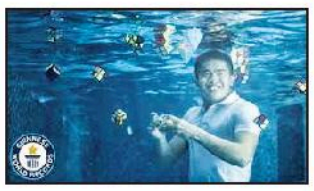
Neither can you get all the furniture colour-coordinated and purchased from the same store for a bulk discount; that would be "matchy-matchy", which apparently is a major faux pas, deserving of ridicule. Things need to be mismatched to give an organic lived-in-feel, but no, not like that; too many colours all around is so "ha-ha, what were they thinking!" There should be multiple textures, and some colours are deemed relaxing and some not, and if you are wondering what the science behind it is, there is none; it is what the brown suits in boardrooms want to have incepted in the hive mind till what they want you to think is what you think you think.

Somewhere through the depths of time, the mass-printed Mona Lisa on a generically blue-painted wall smiles benignly at the folly of this age.

—Arnab Ray in The Times of India

NEWS SPARKLERS

Rubik's cube solved underwater in 9.29 seconds

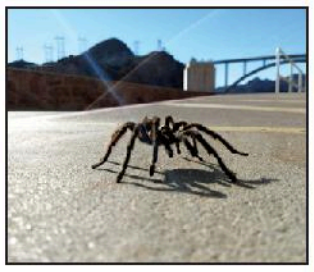


Singapore: An expert Rubik's cube solver from Singapore added another world record to his name by solving a puzzle in 9.29 seconds while underwater.

Daryl Tan Hong An, 21, was completely submerged in a pool when he solved a 3-by-3-by-3 Rubik's cube in the record-breaking time.

The speedcuber has numerous Guinness World Records titles to his name, including fastest time to solve a 4-by-4-by-4 rotating puzzle cube upside down, fastest time to solve two rotating puzzle cubes simultaneously whilst suspended upside down, fastest time to solve a rotating puzzle cube while juggling, fastest time to solve a rotating puzzle cube on a hoverboard and fastest time to solve a rotating puzzle cube while controlling a ping pong ball.

Spider crossing the road causes collision



California: A tarantula crossing the road caused a collision that left a motorcyclist in hospital at California.

Two tourists, from Switzerland, braked abruptly to avoid killing the spider after seeing it crossing state route 190 in the Death Valley National Park recently.

A 24-year-old Canadian man on a motorbike then crashed into the back of the couple's rented camper van, the National Park Service (NPS) said in a statement. "The spider walked away unscathed," the NPS added.

The motorcyclist was taken to Desert View Hospital in Pahrump, Nevada, for treatment. His condition was not known.

NPS Superintendent Mike Reynolds, who was the first to reach the scene of the crash, urged the public to "drive slowly, especially going down steep hills in the park".

HEALTH CAPSULE

A screening with urine culture and sensitivity should be done in early pregnancy, since UTIs can cause major complications later in the pregnancy.

By Dr. Amulya K.G, - Consultant – Obstetrics and Gynecology
Manipal Hospital, Mysore

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LIFE'S ON

**** Health Capsule is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature***

12-month Kannada coaching classes through post

Mysuru, Nov. 7- The Directorate of Kannada and Culture in association with the Central Institute of Indian Languages, Mysuru, had launched 'Learning Kannada Language through Post' on Nov. 1, 1985 for all the Government employees who do not know Kannada.

This is a 12-month Kannada coaching classes through post where Kannada language will be taught to Government employees who are working at City Municipal Councils, KSRTC, Universities, Schools, Colleges, Government Aided Institutions and all Nationalised Banks.

When all these Government employees attend any camps or exams during working days that will be considered as on duty leave. However, this programme is now extended to general public also. Candidates who have a pass in SSLC and are aged between 18 and 50 years are eligible to apply along with a Demand Draft for Rs. 250. Twenty study materials (notes) will be sent by post to all the registered candidates. The exam dates will be announced once the coaching class concludes.

The applications and coaching details can be obtained from 'Learning Kannada Language through Post' Division, Central Institute of Indian Languages, Manasagangothri, Mysuru, Last date for applying is Nov. 30. For details, call Ph: 0821-2345128.

WATER LEVEL

KRS DAM	KABINI DAM	HARANGI DAM
Maximum **124.80 feet**	Maximum **2,284.00 feet**	Maximum **2,859.00 feet**
Today's level **99.40 feet**	Today's level **2,274.02 feet**	Today's level **2,848.16 feet**
Last year's level **124.48 feet**	Last year's level **2,280.52 feet**	Last year's level **2,850.21 feet**
Yesterday's level **99.40 feet**	Yesterday's level **2,273.36 feet**	Yesterday's level **2,848.22 feet**
Today's Inflow **2,743 cusecs**	Today's Inflow **4,451 cusecs**	Today's Inflow **179 cusecs**
Today's Outflow **2,627 cusecs**	Today's Outflow **300 cusecs**	Today's Outflow **300 cusecs**

REALLY...?

- ***The first evidence of a cake was over 6,000 years old: Egyptians were the first to make a cake and it was made with wheat flour, honey and milk. The tomb of King Tutankhamun has evidence of this cake. It is believed that he was buried with a funeral cake in his grave so that he could have food in the afterlife.***

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

Look here, ***said the irritated chess wizard to Tim,*** *you have been watching over my shoulder for three hours. Why don't you try playing a match yourself?* ***"Ah," drawled Tim, 'Ain't Got the Patience!"***

TODAY'S CURRENCY RATE

1 US Dollar	= Rs. 83.25
1 UK Pound	= Rs. 102.64
1 UAE Dirham	= Rs. 22.66
1 Euro	= Rs. 89.14

VOICE OF THE READER

Merits of 'Ambaari' design

Sir,

This refers to the letter **'Set right design flaw of Ambaari by next Dasara'** (*Star of Mysore* dated Nov. 3) and also Editor's Note thereunder. A hue and cry is being made out of the impediment for sightseeing being caused by the front high board on the upper deck of 'Ambaari' bus and that visitors have to be satisfied with the side view or turn back and watch the wonderful illumination, etc. But there are merits and a slight material change can bring about relief:

1. The tough glass shield protects those sitting in the front from getting hurt from any kind of hanging branches or twigs of trees or cables, en route. From what we know, authorities concerned have, in advance, surveyed the 'Ambaari' route and taken care to prune the overhanging branches/dry twigs, as also wires/cables etc. Still, due to the vagaries of nature, anything can happen. Better to adopt 'prevention is better than cure'.

2. The front glass shield also protects the eyes of those sitting in the front seats from air blasts/dust etc., while the bus is moving. It is akin to the front glass shield of a car we drive.

These inconveniences can be corrected by replacing the front tinted glass with coloured advertisement wordings, with clear glass without ad-material so that a clear view is available to all those sitting atop 'Ambaari.'

—Vasanthkumar Mysoremath
Environmentalist
Tilaknagar
4.11.2023

Air-condition not needed

Sir,

The projection in the front obstructing the view is on account of the air-conditioning unit for the lower deck of 'Ambaari'. It would make sense to remove these and use it for other vehicles of KSRTC.

Most people want to experience the open top view and only inclement weather would make people choose the lower deck.

—Prem Subramaniam
Mysuru
3.11.2023

Joy Alukkas' autobiography 'Spreading Joy' launched at Sharjah Book Fair

Mysuru, Nov. 7- The much-anticipated autobiography, *'Spreading Joy - How Joyalukkas Became the World's Favourite Jeweller,'* by the renowned entrepreneur Joy Alukkas, was unveiled at the Sharjah Book Fair recently.

Ahmed bin Rakkad Al Ameri, CEO of Sharjah Book Authority and Bollywood Actress Kajol Devgan, the Global Brand Ambassador of Joyalukkas, did the honours, in the presence of Jolly Joy Alukkas and Anantha Padmanabhan - CEO HarperCollins.

Eminent officials, notable figures from the business realm and family members addressed the audience during the book launch ceremony.

Joy Alukkas, expressing his heartfelt gratitude while reflecting on his life's experiences and lessons said, "My life's journey has been a testament to the enduring values of commitment, hard work, passion and perseverance. I hope my humble attempt will inspire others to chase their dreams and never give up in the face of adversities."

The book is now available at all leading book stores in India, UAE and Bahrain, as well as online for readers worldwide through Amazon UAE, India, Singapore, UK & USA and other popular e-commerce portals. The book is also available in English at Jashanmal and Malayalam at DC books in the Sharjah Book Fair.

Mysuru District-level Athletics Meet for High School Section

Mysuru, Nov. 7- Zilla Panchayat (ZP), Mysuru and Physical Education Division of Department of School Education and Literacy, have jointly organised Mysuru District-level Athletics Meet for High School Section at Chamundi Vihar Stadium in Nazarbad here tomorrow (Nov. 8) at 10 am.

District Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa will inaugurate the Athletics Meet. Animal Husbandry Minister K. Venkatesh will be the guest of honour. Narasimharaja MLA Tanveer Sait will preside, according to a press release.

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LUNG CANCER AWARENESS

Lung Cancer

Lung cancer is a significant health issue. It is the second most common type of cancer worldwide after breast cancer. In India, it is the fourth most common type, both in incidence and death.

Lung cancer arises from cells in the lung that have grown abnormally and multiplied to form a lump or tumour.

What causes Lung Cancer?

Smoking is the most significant risk factor for developing lung cancer. However, other risk factors can also increase the chances of developing lung cancer. It is important to remember that having a risk factor increases the risk of cancer developing, but it does not mean that you will get cancer. Likewise, not having a risk factor does not meanthat you definitely won't get cancer.

Tobacco smoking Is the leading cause of lung cancer. It is responsible for 80-90% of cases. The number of years that a person has been a smoker is more critical than the number of cigarettes smoked per day; therefore, giving up smoking at any age can reduce the risk of developing lung cancer more than cutting down on the number of cigarettes smoked per day.

Passive smoking, also referred to as 'second-hand smoke' or 'environmental tobacco smoke', increases the risk of developing cancer, but to a lesser extent than if you are a smoker.

Radon is a radioactive gas that is produced during the breakdown of naturally-occurring uranium in soil and rocks, mainly granite. It can pass through from the ground into homes and buildings.

Genetic susceptibility - It is thought that some people may be more likely to develop lung cancer based on their genetic makeup. Having a family history of lung cancer or other types of cancer increases the risk of developing lung cancer to some degree. In people who are genetically predisposed to lung cancer, smoking further increases the risk.

Household and environmental pollutants - Other risk factors for developing lung cancer include exposure to asbestos, arsenic, cadmium, chromium, and nickel. There is evidence that lung cancer rates are higher in cities than in rural areas, although factors other than outdoor air pollution may be responsible for this pattern. It has also been suggested that indoor air pollution from coal-fuelled stoves may be a factor in some countries.

What are the symptoms of lung cancer?

Lung cancer may be suspected if a person has symptoms such as persistent cough or frequent chest infection, breathlessness, hoarseness, chest pain or coughing up blood. Other symptoms may be fever, appetite loss, unexplained weight loss and fatigue.

You should see your doctor if you experience any of these symptoms. However, it is important to remember that these symptoms are common in people who do not have lung cancer; other conditions may also cause them.

- A Cough that persists worsens of produces blood
- Wheezing
- Chest Pain
- Fatigue
- Shortness of Breath
- Unexplained Weight Loss

Diagnosis of Lung cancer

Following a clinical examination, your doctor will arrange for an X-ray and Computed Tomography (CT) scan (or might use other technologies, such as Positron Emission Tomography [PET] CT scan or magnetic resonance imaging [MRI]) to evaluate the position and extent of the cancer.

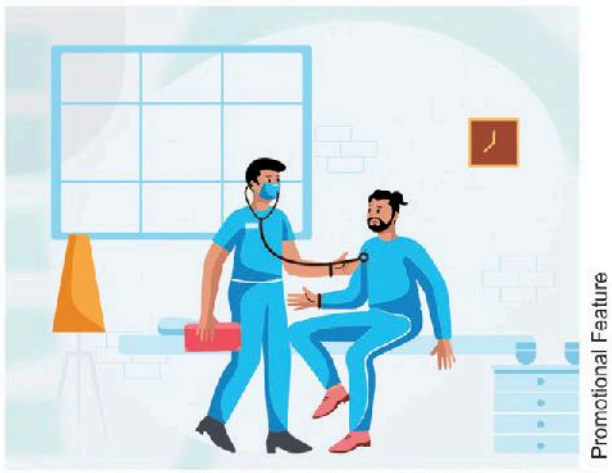
Examination of a biopsy (cells or tissue taken from the tumour) will confirm a diagnosis of lung cancer. A biopsy determines histological subtype, grade, and biological testing for driver mutations for precision therapy.

There are two main types of lung cancer: Small-cell lung cancer and non-small-cell lung cancer. Non-small cell type accounts for 80-90% of lung cancer and includes subtypes of adenocarcinoma, squamous cell carcinoma and Large cell carcinoma.

Staging of Lung Cancer- It's staged from stage I to IV. But for ease of understanding, it can be staged as early stage, locally advanced stage and metastatic disease.

Treatment of Lung cancer

- Surgery either lobectomy, segmentectomy or pneumonectomy.
- Chemotherapy — the use of anti-cancer drugs to destroy cancer cells. Chemotherapy can be given alone or with other treatments.
- Targeted therapy — Targeted cancer therapies are drugs or other substances that block the growth and spread of cancer by interfering with specific molecules ('molecular targets") that are involved in the growth, progression, and spread of cancer. They are not often found in healthy cells.



Promotional Feature

- Immunotherapy — This treatment helps your body's natural defences fight the cancer. Your body's natural defence system is called the immune system, so the treatment is called immunotherapy. This type of treatment will play an increasingly important role in cancer treatment.
- Radiotherapy — the use of measured doses of radiation to damage cancer cells and stop them growing.
- Combinations of different treatment types are frequently offered based on the stage and classification of lung cancer and the patient's condition and comorbidities (additional diseases or disorders experienced at the same time).

In the early stage, when the cancer is confined to the lung and therefore considered to be curable, the primary treatment is surgical resection. For locally advanced stage, multimodal therapy is usually adopted to help shrink or, in some cases, completely remove the cancer.

In the metastatic stage, when the cancer has spread to other parts of the body, and the cure is not an option, various systemic anti-cancer treatments may be used in an attempt to slow down tumour growth and improve symptoms and quality of life — this is called supportive or palliative care

Follow-up after treatment

Patients who have completed treatment for stage I-III are typically followed up with clinical and radiological examinations every six months for the first two years and annually thereafter.

Patients who have completed treatment for metastatic disease are typically followed up with radiological examinations every 6-12 weeks (depending on their suitability for further treatment) so that second-line therapy can be started if needed.

Dr. Naveen Jayaram Anvekar
MBBS, MD (General Medicine), DM (Medical Oncology)
Consultant Medical Oncologist

NEWS BRIEFS

Free health camp

As part of 8th Ayurveda Day, Government Ayurveda College and Hospital, Mysuru, will be conducting a free Health Check-up Camp at its premises on Sayyaji Rao Road tomorrow (Nov. 8) from 9 am to 4 pm. For details, contact Dr. N. Nalini on Mob: 79754-91224.

Happiness course

Sri Ravishankar Guruji's Art of Living is conducting Happiness Course to achieve a stress-free, healthy, happy and peaceful life. This course includes knowledge sessions, pranayama, yoga, meditation and a powerful breathing technique called Sudarshan Kriya. The course will be held from Nov. 9 to Nov. 12 from 6.30 pm to 8.30 pm. For further details, contact Mob: 91631-45678.

Pratibha Puraskar for Nayaka community

Marking Valmiki Jayanti and Kannada Rajyotsava, the Nayaka Community Teachers Welfare Association, Mysuru, will hold a Pratibha Puraksar programme to honour meritorious children of Nayaka community who have scored high marks in Kannada Language in SSLC at Rotary Hall, Opposite MUDA on JLB Road at 2.30 pm on Nov. 18. Chamundeshwari MLA G.T. Devegowda will inaugurate the programme. KR MLA T.S. Srivatsa will preside. H.D. Kote MLA Anil Chikkamadu will unveil the portrait of Valmiki on the occasion. For details, contact Mob: 63646-57759.

Matrimonial Meet

Sri Basaveshwara Vadhu-Varara Vivaha Vedike will be hosting a Veerashaiva-Lingayat Matrimonial Meet at Sri Vidyabharathi Kalyana Mantapa, Uttaradi Mutt Road, near Gun House Circle, at 11 am on Nov. 18. Graduate Brides and Bridegrooms of the community from Mysuru, Mandya, Chamarajanagar and Kodagu districts with a good job in hand, can register before Nov. 17. For details, contact Mob: 96862-05346, according to a press release from the Vedike.

MyBuild expo: Stalls booking

Builders Association of India (BAI), Mysore Centre, has been organising MyBuild, a mega construction materials exhibition since 23 years. This expo will be held this year too from Dec. 7 to 11 at Maharaja's College Grounds. Stalls will be allotted on first come first serve basis as there will be only 175 stalls available. Vendors can book a stall by contacting M.D. Chandrashekhar on Mob: 94480-49242 or R. Ramesh Rao on Mob: 94480- 48124 or BAI Office on 70229- 56655.

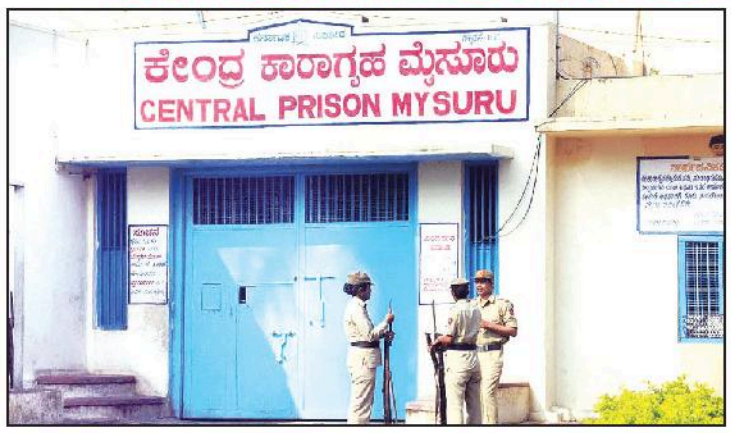
Mobile Phone Jammer at Mysuru Central Prisons rendered useless

Non-compliance with current 5G mobile network cited reason for the failure

Mysuru, Nov. 7 (BLU&BS)- Even as the country is in fifth generation (5G) mobile network, the Mysuru Central Prisons is yet to upgrade itself, when it comes to keeping the Mobile Phone Jammer active, at least to nip any criminal activities in the bud.

The Mysuru Central Prisons is built on a five-acre land of the vast expanse of 20-acre land, with the capacity to accommodate 660 prisoners. But, like every other jails in the State, Mysuru Central Prisons is also no exception when it comes to the number of prisoners exceeding the capacity. With the jail personnel proving skeletal in numbers against the increasing number of inmates, they have to inevitably rely on technology for surveillance along with physical surveillance to keep a track on the activities.

Incorporating technology, Mysuru Central Prisons, along with several other jails in the State, was equipped with Mobile Phone Jammer in compliance with 2G and 3G network, five years ago, thus augmenting the security measures. The Mobile Phone Jammer was inevitable considering the hardcore criminals who were operating from behind the bars, using the mobile phones, executing their plans with the help of their accomplices outside the jail. The Mobile Phone Jammer was coming in handy in checking both incoming and outgoing calls.



There are several instances of the jurisdictional Mandi Police personnel who have a Police Outpost next to the main entrance of Mysuru Central Prisons raiding the cells and seizing mobile phones. The jail inmates who were getting the mobile phones smuggled inside in a clandestine manner, were trying all the tricks in their books to hoodwink jail authorities, in concealing them inside their cells. They were using the phones only when it was essential, keeping them in a covert manner rest of the time.

While there is a prohibition on jail inmates, irrespective of those serving judicial imprisonment and convicts, from using mobile phones, there is a provision to write and receive postal letters, to keep in touch with their family members. However, the process of writing letters is also strictly monitored by jail officials, who hand it over to the inmates and also post to the addressee, only after going through the content. Even the visitors are allowed only after strict security check and also the materials handed over to them by their relatives and friends are passed on to them, only after scrutinising them.

Senior Superintendent of Mysuru Central Prisons Ramesh said: "A few years ago, Mobile Phone Jammer was installed in the jail complying with 2G and 3G network. Now, we are in 5G era, rendering the Jammer useless. Even the Department of Prisons and Correctional Services has not taken any step to upgrade to 5G technology. Similar is the situation at other jails in the State including Parappana Agrahara Prisons in Bengaluru. However, we have taken strict measures against smuggling mobile phones inside the jail."

Farmer killed in tiger attack at Saragur

Balaji Nayak

Saragur, Nov. 7- Farming community are a worried lot following increase in man-animal conflicts at H.D. Kote and Saragur regions which have claimed lives of humans and livestock.

Yesterday afternoon, a farmer, identified as Balaji Nayak (40), was involved in ginger cultivation at his land adjacent to Hosakote connecting road in Moleyur Range, when a tiger, which suddenly appeared before him at about 1.30 pm, attacked him and dragged him into a trench where it devoured most of the body parts before fleeing.

As the news of Balaji Nayak, who was also the former Gram Panchayat Member, getting killed in tiger attack spread, villagers rushed to the spot and pulled up the body from the trench. The villagers expressed anger against the Forest Department and staged a protest at the spot.

Police, who came to the spot, managed to calm down the protesting farmers but none from the Forest Department arrived even after 7 pm, which angered the villagers and farmers, who again staged protest by keeping the body at the spot amidst rain.

Balaji is survived by his father Lakshminayak, mother Parvathi, wife Jyothi, daughters Aishwarya (PUC) and Soundarya (10th standard). Following the incident, a sense of fear has engulfed the villagers, who are afraid to step out of their houses and involve in agricultural activities.

Tahsildar Parashivamurthy, Sub-Inspector Nandeesh Kumar and staff Naganayak, Imran, Krishna, Anand, Prakash and Chandru, Gram Panchayat President Ajith Kumar, Members Devadas, Bettaswamy, Krishna and villagers were present at the spot.

MLA Anil Chikkamadu, who came to the spot at midnight, handed over the compensation cheque of Rs. 15 lakh to the deceased Balaji family members and assured of monthly pension to Balaji's wife Jyothi and a job to one of the daughters in the Forest Department. Conservator of Forests (CF) Dr. Ramesh Kumar, Assistant Conservator of Forests (ACF) Parameshwar and staff were present.

Senior Geologist Prathima murder case

Accused in Police custody till Nov. 15

Accused Kiran

Bengaluru, Nov. 7- The Second ACMM Court has handed over the accused in the Senior Geologist Prathima murder to Police custody till Nov. 15.

Kiran, the former driver of Prathima, an Officer at the Mines and Geology Department in Bengaluru, was arrested by the Police when he was trying to flee towards Chamarajanagar yesterday and was produced before the Court. The Police had appealed the Court to hand over the accused to them for 11 days for further questioning in the murder.

Jurisdictional Subramanyapura Police had taken three persons including accused Kiran into their custody and interrogated them during which Kiran had confessed of killing Prathima, said Bengaluru South Division DCP Rahul Kumar.

He further said that Prathima had sacked Kiran from the job a week back over a few issues and angered over his sacking from the job, accused Kiran had committed the crime, the DCP added.

It may be recalled that Prathima was found murdered at her house in Doddakallasandra on Sunday (Nov. 5) morning.

Obituary

Shantharaju

Mysuru, Nov. 7- Shantharaju (68), Founder-Editor of *Nijadhani* Kannada Daily and a resident of MCDS Layout near Srirampura, passed away at about 12.30 am today at his residence.

A member of Mysuru District Journalists' Association (MDJA), he was the Founder-President of SC and ST Editors' Association, Founder-President of Mahadeshwara Vidya Samsthe at Sinduvalli in the taluk and President of Dalit Welfare Trust.

He leaves behind his wife S. Shashirekha, son S. Sunil Kumar, daughter S. Mounashree and a host of relatives and friends. Last rites were held at K.G. Koppal Burial Grounds this afternoon. Karnataka Union of Working Journalists and MDJA have condoled the death of Shantharaju.

Krishnegowda

Krishnegowda (70), a resident of Katteri village in Pandavapura taluk, passed away at his residence yesterday evening.

He leaves behind his wife Indira, one daughter, one son and a host of relatives and friends. Last rites were held at the family's farmland this noon.

Rectify Black Spots in District, save lives: ADC Lokanath

Reckless driving: 50 vehicle permits revoked in 86 cases

Lokanath

Mysuru, Nov. 7 (BCT)- The District Road Safety Committee convened a meeting in city yesterday to address a pressing issue — Black Spots identified throughout the district and the imperative safety measures needed to prevent accidents.

During the meeting, which saw participation from the District Administration, National and State Highway officials, the Police, Public Works Department, KSRTC and Transport Department, concerns were also raised about the escalating congestion on city roads and highways.

Chaired by Additional Deputy Commissioner (ADC) R. Lokanath, the meeting put a spotlight on the peril faced by vehicle users in areas identified as Black Spots and called upon officials to prioritise addressing this concern.

The National Highways Authority of India (NHAI) identifies Black Spots, which are stretches that have garnered notoriety for accidents. In the realm of road safety management, an accident Black Spot refers to a location with a historical concentration of road traffic accidents.

Such concentrations may be attributed to various factors, including sharp drops or corners in straight roads, obstructed visibility at hidden junctions on fast roads or inadequate warning signs at crossroads. **If a 500-metre stretch experiences over 10 accidents leading to loss of life in three years, it is designated as a Black Spot.**

ADC Lokanath emphasised that numerous accidents have occurred on roads like the Mysuru-Varakodu Road, a segment of National Highway 766, Mysuru-Hunsur Road and Mysuru-T. Narasipur Road. It was underscored that the identification and rectification of roadside hazards must be initiated, with suitable markings and sign boards on these spots.

Lokanath called upon officials to personally inspect all the Black Spots and implement corrective measures to prevent accidents. He underlined that many Black Spots can be attributed to road engineering issues and gradients, suggesting solutions such as the installation of scientifically designed road humps, warning signs and reflective mirrors to avert accidents.

Furthermore, he directed the officials to take steps to reduce the accident rate, emphasising the importance of coordination with the Police, RTO, KSRTC, NHAI and State Highway authorities to address the problem of accidents and Black Spots. He also urged the Police to proactively rectify Black Spots by trimming vegetation that obstructs vehicle movement and hampers visibility.

Lokanath also proposed a review of the number of accidents that have occurred in the district thus far in the coming days. The meeting highlighted the stringent measures taken against reckless driving in the city, with 50 vehicle permits already revoked in 86 cases, as announced by RTO officials.

Yaduveer's visit to

Yediyurappa's home not political

Yaduveer

Yediyurappa

Mysuru, Nov. 7 (BCT)- Scion of the erstwhile Mysore royal family Yaduveer Krishnadatta Chamaraja Wadiyar and his wife Trishikha Kumari Wadiyar, paid a visit to the residence of former Chief Minister B.S. Yediyurappa in Shivamogga on Saturday. They enjoyed a meal with Yediyurappa and his family.

Yaduveer's visit to Shivamogga was to participate in a programme held to commemorate the centenary celebrations of Visvesvaraya Iron and Steel Limited (VISL) in Bhadravati. Notable attendees at the event included Yediyurappa, Minister for School Education Madhu Bangarappa, MP B.Y. Raghavendra, MLA B.K. Sangameshwara, Siddaganga Mutt Seer Sri Siddalinga Swamiji and Adichunchanagiri Mutt Seer Dr. Sri Nirmalanandanatha Swamiji.

The programme was organised by cine actor Doddanna and former employees of VISL.

Yaduveer's presence led to political speculations, with some media outlets reporting that he might contest the upcoming Lok Sabha elections. There had been previous reports suggesting Yaduveer's potential candidacy for the Mysuru-Kodagu Lok Sabha seat.

However, Yediyurappa clarified that Yaduveer's visit was private and pre-planned. He said that politics was not discussed during the lunch.

The Mysore king, Nalwadi Krishnaraja Wadiyar and his Dewan Sir M. Visvesvaraya initiated the construction of Mysuru Wood Distillation and Iron Works in 1918, with production starting in 1923. Visvesvaraya oversaw the unit for six years, ensuring its success. Today, it operates as a unit of the Steel Authority of India Limited.

Yaduveer Wadiyar's presence gains significance for the reason that this industry was established by Krishnaraja Wadiyar IV.

KSRTC to ply 2,000 additional buses for Deepavali season

Mysuru, Nov. 7 (BCT)- In anticipation of the Deepavali festival rush, the Karnataka State Road Transport Corporation (KSRTC) has implemented extensive measures to accommodate the increased number of travellers during this festive season.

To ensure a hassle-free experience during the festivities, KSRTC will deploy an additional 2,000 buses departing from Bengaluru to various destinations within Karnataka and neighbouring States.

According to an official announcement, these special buses will be in service from Nov. 10 to Nov. 12 for outbound travel and will operate inter- and intra-State services from various locations to Bengaluru between Nov. 14 and Nov. 15.

Exclusive services will be provided from Kempegowda bus stand to destinations like Dharmasthala, Kukke Subramanya, Shivamogga, Hassan, Mangaluru, Kundapura, Sringeri, Horanadu, Davangere, Hubballi, Dharwad, Kalaburagi, Ballari, Koppal, Yadgir, Bidar and more. Special buses departing from Mysuru Road Bus Station will serve routes to Mysuru, Hunsur, Periyapatna, Virajpet, Kushalnagar and Madikeri.

Passengers can take advantage of a five percent discount on fares when booking tickets online and a 10 percent discount is available when booking round-trip tickets. Premier special buses will be available from BMTC bus station (Traffic and Transit Management Centre) at Shantinagar, connecting destinations such as Madurai, Kumbakonam, Chennai, Coimbatore and other places in Tamil Nadu and Kerala.

P.V. Giri felicitated

P.V. Giri of Siddhartha Group, Mysuru, who was elected as the Chairman of All India Kshatriya Federation (AIKF), was recently felicitated along with his wife Rukmini Giri by the Raju Kshatriya Welfare Association at a function held at Daksha College in Mysuru. They are seen with Jayachandra Raju, Chairman of Daksha College, Dr. Govinda Raju from USA, M. Rajendra, Gopal Raju and others.

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is hereby notified that, my clients have agreed to purchase the Schedule property from its owner **Dr.A.M.SRINIVASA** S/o Late A.Muniswariah, residing at: No.38, ORMEAU, Vaughan Drive, Queensland-4208, Australia.

If any person/s have any manner of right, title, interest or claim or charge or lien over the Schedule property or otherwise have any lawful objection/s for sale of the Schedule property by the aforesaid owner, they are hereby called upon to file their objections in writing, along with the photocopies of documents on which they rely, with the undersigned, within 14 days from the date of publication of this notice. Objection/s received thereafter will not be binding on my clients.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the residential property bearing MUDA Site No.1373, Mysore Mahanagara Palike (MMP) PID No.45206, measuring East to West 120ft and North to South 80ft, situated at Saraswathipuram T.Koppal, C & D Block Layout, Jayanagar, Mysore and bounded on:

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CHANGE OF NAME

I, Veerendra Kumar S/o Chandraraja Hegde, residing at #1294, 8th Cross, Subramanyanagar, Hebbal 1st Stage, Mysuru - 570016 have changed my daughter's name from **ANVAYA** to **ANVAYA JAIN** vide affidavit sworn before Notary H.N. Varija, Mysore Dated 04-11-2023

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SUPRIYA** W/o Veerendra Kumar residing at #1294, 8th Cross, Subramanyanagar, Hebbal 1st Stage, Mysuru - 570016 have changed my name from **SUPRIYA** to **SUPRIYA JAIN** vide affidavit sworn before Notary H.N. Varija, Mysore Dated 04-11-2023

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Nalwadi statue installed at MMC&RI

Mysuru, Nov.7 (RK&DM)- With the city's Mysore Medical College and Research Institute (MMC&RI) celebrating its centenary next year (1924-2024), a Statue of erstwhile Mysuru ruler Nalwadi Krishnaraja Wadiyar was installed in the MMC&RI premises facing the Cheluvamba Hospital building of K.R.Hospital here this morning.

The statue will be unveiled by erstwhile Mysuru Royal family member Pramoda Devi Wadiyar next week.

The 1962 batch of MMC&RI has sponsored the statue with the support of MAA (Mysore Medical college Alumni Association).

The MMC&RI, which is one of the oldest Medical colleges in the country was established in 1924, thanks to the far sightedness of the visionary ruler of Mysuru Nalwadi Krishnaraja Wadiyar. The statue is a monolith sculpted from 'Krishna Shile' (Black Granite) and is nearly 8 ft. in height. The statue was sculpted at Shivarapatna in Kolar district.

The ground breaking ceremony for the installation of statue was done on Oct.12, 2023 and the construction of the pedestal, which is a 3.5 ft height monolithic platform, was completed recently.

Today, the statue was installed in the presence of MMC&RI Dean and Director Dr. K.R. Dakshayini, former Dean Dr. Dinesh, MMC&RI alumni of the 1962 batch — Dr. Udayshankar, Dr. V.Lakshminarayan and others.

Vande Bharat Express

to host Legends League Cricket's journey across India tomorrow

New Delhi, Nov. 7 (BCT)- In a remarkable collaboration aimed at promoting sports and inspiring a new generation of athletes, Legends League Cricket (LLC) and Indian Railways have announced a national campaign.

As a symbol of this partnership, the prestigious LLC trophy will embark on an unprecedented journey, travelling across 17 States and Union Territories aboard the Vande Bharat Express.

This initiative is set to kick off tomorrow (Nov. 8) in New Delhi and make its way to Una, marking the first leg of this incredible 16-route journey, which promises to be a 15-day extravaganza.

The Vande Bharat Express, renowned as India's fastest train network, will become the conduit for cricket lovers and legends alike to partake in the LLC campaign. Ashwini Vaishnaw, Minister of Railways, expressing a warm welcome to LLC and the legendary players joining the initiative, emphasised the importance of promoting sports.

Indian Railways, a staunch supporter of sports, has pledged to assist LLC in its mission to bring sports to every corner of the country. Union Ministers and the Indian Railways team will also be actively involved in this journey. Joining them will be marquee sports personalities from across the nation.

Raman Raheja, CEO of Legends League Cricket, stated, "As we flag off this unique collaboration with the Indian Railways, LLC is committed to providing fans with the best possible experience. Renowned legends like Chris Gayle, Sreesanth, Shane Watson and many others, along with the LLC trophy, will embark on a nationwide tour aboard the Vande Bharat Express."

The campaign's significant aspect is participation of legends such as Gautam Gambhir, Suresh Raina, Irfan Pathan, Kevin Pietersen, Jhulan Goswami and more. These national and international stars will travel across the five major Railway Zones: North, South, Central, East and West.

The second edition of Legends League Cricket is scheduled to take place from Nov. 18 to Dec. 9 in five cities: Ranchi, Dehradun, Jammu, Vizag and Surat.

Heavy rains flood low-lying areas

An excavator clearing clogged storm water drain at Ananda Nagar in city this morning. Picture right shows handloom materials spread out for drying at Dasara Exhibition Grounds.

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Low-lying neighbourhoods hit

In low-lying neighbourhoods like Metagalli and Vontikoppal, households were particularly hard-hit, as rainwater inundated their homes. Residents were forced to work late into the night, tirelessly draining the water from their residences.

Across the city, five huge trees were uprooted, posing additional hazards and obstructions on Pulikeshi Road, near Apollo Hospital, Saraswathipuram, in front of Bandanthamma Temple Road, and Jodi Basava Road in Kuvempunagar.

Handlooms drenched

MCC's Abhaya team sprang into action early the next morning to clear the fallen trees, ensuring smoother traffic flow through the affected areas. At the Dasara Expo Grounds, the rain inundated various stalls, the amusement park area, and the walking paths. Visitors faced challenges as slush filled most of the walkways, impacting their experience.

For stall owners, especially those selling handloom, clothes, and textiles under zinc sheet roofs, rainwater seeped into the stalls, drenching their goods. The stall owners were observed drying their wares under the morning sun.

Furthermore, the management of the Amusement Park planned to meet with Karnataka Exhibition Authority (KEA) CEO Rajesh to request the application of M-Sand on the slush-filled walkways within the amusement park area to enhance visitors' experience.

At J.K. Grounds

Meanwhile, minor puddles were observed in J.K. Grounds, where Deepavali cracker vendors' stalls were being set up. While yesterday's rain didn't pose a major issue, if heavy rainfall persists for two to three days, it could result in the grounds being waterlogged, potentially affecting the cracker sales.

This morning, a team of officials and staff from the Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) conducted thorough inspections of the city's drainage systems, identifying blockages and working to clear them, with the aim of facilitating the smooth flow of rainwater through the drains.

The forecast predicts that moderate to heavy rainfall will continue for the next two days. In Gokulam, the compound wall of the ESI Hospital quarters collapsed under the relentless downpour. The Horticulture Department and MUDA have also joined hands with the MCC to address issues related to the rain.

In addition to the uprooted trees, many trees across the city have been toppled by the force of the rain, necessitating the Abhaya team's continuous efforts to clear fallen trees and remove mud and gravel that have washed onto the roads.

D.B. Chandre Gowda passes away

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D.B. Chandre Gowda was first elected to the Lok Sabha in 1971 from Chikkamagaluru as a Congress candidate. During his second term, he resigned as a member to allow Indira Gandhi to contest from Chikkamagaluru and re-enter Parliament in 1978, in the post-Emergency scenario.

Subsequently, Chandre Gowda became a member of the Legislative Council and served in the D. Devaraj Urs cabinet. He was elected to the Legislative Assembly from Thirthahalli in 1983 and 1989, and from Sringeri in 1999. He also held the position of Leader of the Opposition in the State Legislative Assembly.

Chandre Gowda also served as the minister of Law and Parliamentary Affairs in the S.M. Krishna-led Congress government. He later joined the BJP and was elected to Parliament from the Bengaluru North constituency in 2009. He also served as a member of the Rajya Sabha from 1986 to 1989.

Chandre Gowda had a close association with the Kodagu district as his daughter Sangitha is married to late A.K. Subbaiah's third son, Dinu Ponnappa, who is the brother of the current Virajpet MLA A.S. Ponnanna.

Numerous senior leaders from various political parties are expected to pay their respects to Chandre Gowda at Daradahalli later today.

The family has informed the media that the mortal remains will be kept at Adyanthaya Rangamandira in Mudigere between 2 pm and 6 pm, and the last rites will be held at the family estate, Poornachandra Estate in Daradahalli, on Wednesday, Nov. 8.

Condoled: The Mysore Race Club has in a press release condoled the death of its very senior member D.B. Chandre Gowda.

Upskill, reskill to remain relevant in fast-paced world

AICTE Chairman speaks at Karnataka Geotechnical Fusion-2023; recalls contribution of Wadiyar rule

AICTE Chairman Prof. T.G. Sitharam (in pink vest coat) seen with other dignitaries during the inauguration of 'Karnataka Geotechnical Fusion-2023' at Vidyavardhaka College of Engineering (VVCE), Mysuru, on Saturday.

Mysuru, Nov. 7 (BCT)- Chairman of the All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) Prof. T.G. Sitharam paid tribute to the contributions of the Wadiyar family of Mysore and Sir M. Visvesvaraya towards industrialising the region and contributing immensely to the overall growth of the area.

He was speaking at a National Conference 'Karnataka Geotechnical Fusion-2023' organised by Indian Geotechnical Society (IGS) at Vidyavardhaka College of Engineering (VVCE), Mysuru, on Saturday.

Prof. Sitharam emphasised the pivotal role of technical education in India's pursuit of becoming the world's third-largest economy. He stressed that knowledge alone is insufficient and skills are equally crucial. India's focus is on developing the skills of 500 million young people in the coming years and he encouraged the audience to upskill and reskill to remain relevant in today's fast-paced world.

India ranks among the top five countries in terms of research papers, the number of Ph.Ds produced and patent filings. It is the third-largest hub for startups, with more than 110 unicorns. The country boasts over 3,600 engineering colleges, producing over 1 million engineers annually.

Prof. Sitharam lauded the achievements of ISRO scientists, many of whom come from small cities and have studied in AICTE-approved engineering colleges. He urged students to remain focused on research and innovation for a successful future.

AICTE has taken significant steps to promote education in regional languages and support talent from rural India. India is experiencing an era of growth and innovation, marked by the establishment of AICTE idea labs, startup ecosystems and entrepreneurial support.

During the event celebrating the 75th year of IGS, President Dr. Anil Joseph encouraged students to gain practical exposure and advised young civil engineers to remain in the core engineering field instead of seeking opportunities in IT companies. He emphasised the importance of learning Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning to drive technological innovations in civil engineering.

The Indian Geotechnical Society (IGS), established in 1948, serves as a bridge between civil engineers and geologists, supporting research in engineering geology, soil dynamics, rock mechanics and other applied fields, as well as their practical applications.

IGS Secretary Dr. A.P. Singh, IGS Bangalore Chapter Head Dr. Madhavi Latha, Hubballi Chapter Head Dr. S.S. Quadri, Mysore Chapter Chairman Dr. S.K. Prasad, Suratkal Chapter Chairman Dr. Sreevalsa Kolathayar and Dr. B. Sadashivegowda, P. Vishwanath, Gundappa Gowda, and Sreeshaila Ramannavar from VVCE were present on the occasion.

MCC launches 'Jal Diwali'

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Earlier in the day, the participating women were taken in a bus from MCC Main Office on New Sayyaji Rao Road to Hongalli Water Treatment Plant. Later, they were taken to Vani Vilas Water Works (VVWW) at Yadavagiri in city.

On the second day tomorrow (Nov. 8), a workshop has been organised at MCC, followed by valedictory on Nov. 9.

Prominent among the women SHGs which took part in today's visit are: Prithvi, Huliyamma, Siri Arora and Vinayaka.

According to officers from VVWW, the city consumes 300 MLD (Million Litres Per Day) of water and as of now, there is no water shortage.

"While 40 MLD is being pumped from Belagola supply station, 115 MLD from Hongali, 85 from Meghalapura and 60 MLD water is being supplied from Kabini," the Officers added.

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Property bearing Sy.No.193 situated at Devanoor Village, Kasaba Hobli, Mysuru Taluk, Mysuru District totally measuring 2 Acres 24 Guntas out of which 27 Guntas (for sale and bounded on: **East by:** Private Property, **West by:** MUDA Property, **North By:** Road, **South by:** Road.

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Mob: 9342120700

CHANGE OF NAME

I, A.R. Mazherulla Khan, S/o. Abdul Rahaman residing at D.No. 483, 10th Cross, North East of N.R. Mohalla, Mysore-570007 have changed my name as **A.R. Mazharulla Khan** on my own free will in front of Notary C.R. Seetharam on 6.11.2023.In future in all records, deeds and writing, proceedings, dealings and transactions, private and all occasions whatsoever, I use and sign the name as **A.R. Mazharulla Khan.**

Sd/- A.R. Mazharulla Khan

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Polling begins in Naxal belt of Chhattisgarh, Mizoram

New Delhi, Nov. 7 (Agencies)- Chhattisgarh and Mizoram are casting their votes today to choose their next Government. This marks the first phase of polling in Chhattisgarh, where 20 out of the 90 Assembly seats are up for voting.

As of 1.30 pm, the voter turnout in Chhattisgarh stood at 44.55 percent, while in Mizoram, it was 32.68 percent. Notably, several of the 20 seats in Chhattisgarh are in the Naxal-affected Bastar division, where polling commenced at 7 am. Mizoram, on the other hand, has set up polling booths as more than 8.57 lakh voters prepare to decide the electoral fate of 174 candidates.

The counting of votes in both States will be taken up on Dec. 3, along with Rajasthan, Madhya Pradesh and Telangana.

While the polls in Mizoram and the first phase of Chhattisgarh are taking place today, the second phase of Chhattisgarh elections will be held on Nov. 17.

Madhya Pradesh is set to vote on Nov. 17, Rajasthan on Nov. 23 and Telangana on Nov. 30. These Assembly polls in five States are being viewed as a semi-final ahead of the 2024 general election.

This morning, there were reports of Naxal activity in Chhattisgarh, with an exchange of fire between Naxals and security personnel deployed around 2 kilometres from the Banda Polling Station. A CRPF CoBRA personnel was injured in a blast triggered by Maoists in the Tondamarka area of Chhattisgarh's Sukma. In Mizoram, Chief Minister Zoramthanga was unable to cast his vote due to a malfunctioning electronic voting machine. He stated that he would cast his vote later in the day.

The ruling Congress in Chhattisgarh is placing its hopes on Bhupesh Baghel, credited with reviving the party's State unit after it was decimated in a Maoist attack in 2013. The BJP, following its traditional approach, has not projected a Chief Ministerial candidate and is basing its campaign on Prime Minister Narendra Modi's image.

However, the Congress campaign was hit by allegations of corruption against the CM. Investigations into an illegal betting app revealed that around Rs. 508 crore had been paid by its promoters to Bhupesh Baghel, with regular payments made in the past.

In Mizoram, the Mizo National Front, which came to power in alliance with the BJP in 2018, ending the 10-year rule of Congress's iconic CM Lal Thanhawla, is seeking another term. In the State's traditional binary politics, the ruling party typically gets two terms before being voted out.

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Date: 06/11/2023, Place: Mysore.

Prize winners of Maharaja's Cup Open Golf Championship-2023

A group photo of prize winners of H.H. Sri Jayachamaraja Wadiyar Memorial Open Golf Championship-2023 (Maharaja's Cup) held from Nov. 2 to 5 at J.W. Golf Club, Mysuru. Seen are (standing from left) ***Deepak Kavale, M.S. Advaith, B.A. Ganapathi, V. Prakash, H.V. Prasad, V. Theertha Prasad, Dev Uthaiah, Praveen Raghunath, M.A. Ramesh, Suresh Balaram, Shridhar Singh, Raju Gowda, M. Chirayu and Tanish R. Gowda;*** *(sitting from left)* ***K.N. Suresh Kumar - Steward, Mysore Race Club (MRC) Ltd., M.A. Bopanna - Chairman, Tournament Sub-Committee, V.G. Achar - Hon. Secretary, JWGC, K.A. Anil Kumar - Captain, JWGC, Dr. Abraham Thomas - President, JWGC, K.M. Chandre Gowda - Chairman, MRC Ltd., AL. R.M. Nagappan - Steward, MRC Ltd., H.K. Ramesh, - Steward, MRC Ltd., Jayaraj Urs - Committee Member, MRC Ltd., A.S. Ajith Kumar Raj Urs - Committee Member, MRC, K.S. Mallappa Gowda, Dr. K.A. Nanjappa and M.V. Venu - Committee Member of MRC Ltd.***

Mysuru, Nov. 7- Following are the prize winners of H.H. Sri Jayachamaraja Wadiyar Memorial Open Golf Championship-2023 (Maharaja's Cup) held from Nov. 2 to 5 at J.W. Golf Club, Mysuru:

Strokeplay Gross - 36 Holes - Challenge Cup - Donated by His Highness Sri Jayachamaraja Wadiyar, Maharaja of Mysore (1957): Shridhar Singh (140 Gross) - Winner; M. Chirayu (145 Gross) - Runner.

Strokeplay Gross (H/C 10<=18) - 36 Holes - Mysore Race Club (MRC) Chairman's Trophy - Donated by M.W. Chinnappa, former Chairman, MRC: Dev Uthaiah (158 Gross) - Winner; V. Theertha Prasad (164 Gross) - Runner.

Strokeplay Net (H/C 0<=12) - 36 Holes - Dr. C.D.S. Challenge Trophy - Donated by Dr. C.D. Srinivas Murthy, former Chairman, MRC: V. Prakash (141 Net) - Winner; B.A. Ganapathi (142 Net) - Runner.

Strokeplay Net (H/C 13<=18) - 36 Holes - Mysore Sports Club Rolling Trophy - Donated by F.K. Irani, former President, Mysore Sports Club: Deepak Kavale (136 Net) - Winner (Better Back 1 Over Suresh Balaram); Suresh Balaram (136 Net) - Runner.

Centenary Championship Trophy - 18 Holes - 1st Day - Inter-Club Team Event (Gross) - Donated by H. Kusumakar Shetty, former Steward, MRC: Team JWGC - Shridhar Singh & M. Chirayu (140 Gross) - Winner.

Stableford Gross Score - 18 Holes - 1st Day - Challenge Cup - Donated by H.H. Sri Srikanta Datta Narasimha Raja Wadiyar (1981): K.A. Anil Kumar (29 Gross) - Winner (Better Back 9 Over Mukram Ulla Khan) - Winner; Mukram Ulla Khan (29 Gross) - Runner.

Strokeplay Net (H/C 0<=18) - 18 Holes - 2nd Day - Mysore Sports Club Rolling Cup - Donated by Mysore Sports Club: Praveen Raghunath (68 Net) - Winner; M.S. Advaith (70 Net) - Runner.

Stableford Net (H/C 0<=18) - 18 Holes - 2nd Day - D.H. Dasappa Memorial Trophy - Donated by D. Suresh Dasappa, former Chairman, MRC: Raju Gowda (37 Points) - Winner; Tanish R. Gowda (36 Points) - Runner.

Stableford Net (0<=24) - 18 Holes - 1st Day - The Hurricane Stud Trophy - Donated by (For Senior Golfers Above 65 Years) D. Kumar Siddanna: H.V. Prasad (37 Points) - Winner; Dr. K.A. Nanjappa (36 Points) - Runner.

Stableford Net (0<=30) - 18 Holes - 1st Day - The Best Lady Golfer Trophy - Donated by N.V. Babu, former Chairman, MRC: Jayanthi Ravi (39 Points) - Winner.

Strokeplay Net (H/C 19<=24) - 18 Holes - 1st Day - The Best Maharaja's Golfer - Donated by M.L. Kantharaj Urs, Urs Kar Service Centre Pvt. Ltd. and Committee Member, MRC: M.A. Ramesh (44 Points) - Winner (Better Back 9 Over Praveen Ganapathy).

Stableford Net (H/C 0<=24) - 18 Holes - 1st Day - The Best Super Seniors Trophy - Donated by (Age 75 Years And Above) MRC: K.S. Mallappa Gowda (32 Points) - Winner.

A total of 317 golfers took part in the Championship conducted by the MRC, according to a press release from JWGC Hon. Secretary V.G. Achar and Tournament Sub-Committee Chairman M.A. Bopanna.

Mysuru Master Athletes to represent India at Asian Masters Athletics Championship

Mysuru, Nov. 7- The master athletes of Mysuru District Masters Athletic Association, who have been selected to represent India at the 22nd Asian Masters Athletics Championship to be held at New Clock City in Philippines from Nov. 8 to 12, were distributed with sports kit and blazers by Chamaraja MLA K. Harishgowda and Mysuru District Journalists Association (MDJA) former President K. Deepak at a programme held at the Association office in Krishnamurthypuram recently.

Selected master athletes are M. Yogendra, S. Mahadev, H.M. Sujatha, Arun, G.G. Raghunandan, M.D. Nagendra, Dr. R. Raj Gopal and M. Krishnaiah.

Association Vice-President C.N. Ganesh presided over the event. Association Secretary P.G. Satyanarayan welcomed the gathering. Vice-President M. Yogendra proposed a vote of thanks. Athletics Coach G.R. Prabhakar, Vice-Presidents K.N. Soma Shekar, University of Mysore Department of Physical Education (DPE) Director Dr. Venkatesh and others were present.

24th batch Civilian Rifle Training held

The Civilian Rifle Training for the 24th batch of 40 candidates, organised by Mysuru City Civilian Rifle Association at City Police Commissioner's Office, was held successfully from Oct. 2 to 8 in city. City Police Commissioner B. Ramesh, DCPs M. Muthuraj and S. Jahnavi, Maruthi, Association Secretary Kumar, Training Officer Murthy and Manager Maheshgiri are seen with the candidates who successfully completed the training.

Weaving Magic in Handloom

He weaves 'Gandabherunda' saree non-stop for 36 hours

By M.B. Pavan Murthy

In a world increasingly dominated by advanced automation, traditional craftsmanship often finds itself at risk, leading to potential unemployment for skilled artisans.

Amidst this challenge, dedicated individuals like **A.P. Nagaraj** are making extraordinary efforts to preserve and promote the art of handloom weaving. His remarkable achievements are now on display at the ongoing Dasara Exhibition inside the stall put up by the Department of Handloom and Textiles.

During the recently concluded Ayudha Puja, Nagaraj embarked on a relentless journey of craftsmanship, weaving a saree on a handloom, featuring the design of 'Gandabherunda,' the royal insignia of the erstwhile Royal Family of Mysore. He took 36 hours to weave the cotton saree.

Starting his feat at 6 am on Oct. 23, he accomplished the task at 6 pm on Oct. 24. In this endeavour, he skilfully crafted a three-and-a-half-metre saree with 'Gandabherunda', showcasing an unwavering commitment to his craft. The dark blue saree is beautifully adorned with pink and orange patterns at the border. One side of the saree has 11 'Gandabherundas', in light blue and light pink.

Nagaraj used the technology and the electronic jacquard developed by **Dr. H.T. Panduranga,** a Researcher and Lecturer at Government Polytechnic, Belur. Dr. Panduranga guided Nagaraj on the judicious use of technology, simplifying the techniques of creating exquisite designs on handloom sarees.

This remarkable achievement symbolises the rich culture and tradition of the region through the handloom art. Nagaraj's unwavering dedication to this craft has earned him widespread admiration and the Karnataka Handloom and Textile Department, in collaboration with Cauvery Handlooms in Bengaluru, has provided the platform to showcase Nagaraj's remarkable accomplishments.

A.P. Nagaraj weaving the saree featuring the design of 'Gandabherunda' using handloom at Dasara Exhibition.

Long-hours weaving

"Creating a unique record like this during the Mysuru Dasara festival has been a dream of mine for many days. A normal saree comes to six-and-a-quarter metres. I have woven three-and-a-half metres in 36 hours, taking a 15-minute break once every three hours. No one has sat for such a long time to weave a saree," Nagaraj said.

Nagaraj, who is famous as 'Kaimagga Nagaraj,' resides in Banashankari, Bengaluru. He has expressed his intention to present the 'Gandabherunda' saree to the Mysore Royal Family for exhibition. Born in 1970 to a poor weaver family, Nagaraj now trains the younger generation in handloom weaving to pass on the skill to whoever interested.

The art of handloom weaving is an intricate craft, often practised by individuals with over 60 years of experience. However, the younger generation is showing limited interest in this traditional art, instead turning to powerlooms. Handloom weaving is a labour-intensive process, requiring 25,000 manual actions to create a single saree spanning 252 inches.

Other forms of craftsmanship

Nagaraj's practical approach to handloom weaving extends to various forms of craftsmanship. He has produced exquisite fashion fabrics using copper threads for fashion shows and even woven a fabric with picture of Prime Minister Narendra Modi in a standing posture surrounded by Pillars of Ashoka, a Tricolour Flag border on four sides with Ashoka Chakras. His most recent achievement is a handwoven fabric featuring the photos of Chief Minister Siddharamaiah and Deputy Chief Minister D.K. Shivakumar.

Janardhan

According to Janardhan, Deputy Director of Karnataka Handloom and Textile Department, it is quite rare for individuals to dedicate such an extended period of time to handloom weaving. Nagaraj's unique achievement during the Dasara festival holds special significance.

This endeavour received essential support from the Department, demonstrating the collaborative efforts to preserve and promote the rich tradition of handloom weaving, he added.

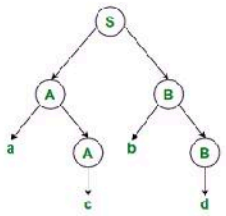
Shivalinga Tiraki

Nagaraj's dedication and commitment are a testament to his exceptional skills and the potential of handloom weaving. He has set an example for others by showcasing the intricacy and hard-work required in handloom weaving. His endeavour is not only a symbol of preserving the art of handloom weaving but also a demonstration of the possibilities it holds for the future, said Karnataka Rajya Nekar Seva Sangha President Shivalinga Tiraki.

A.P. Nagaraj displaying the saree with 'Gandabherunda' designs** (pic. left) **and a fabric with Prime Minister Narendra Modi in a standing posture.

WORD OF THE DAY

Parse



Pronunciation: PARSS.
Meaning: To parse something is to study it by looking closely at its parts. In grammar and linguistics, parse means "to divide (a sentence) into grammatical parts and identify the parts and their relations to each other."
Origin: If parse brings up memories of learning the parts of speech in school, you've done your homework regarding this word. Parsing sentences, after all, is part and parcel of learning to read and write. Parse comes from the first element of the Latin term for "part of speech," pars orationis. It's an old word that has been used since at least the mid 1500s, but it was not until the late 1700s that parse graduated to its extended, non-grammar-related sense of "to examine in a minute way" or "to analyze critically." Remember this extended sense, and you'll really be at the head of the class.
Example: "Around the turn of the millennium, the captcha tool arrived to sort humans from bots based on their ability to interpret images of distorted text. Once some bots could handle that, captcha added other detection methods that included parsing images of motorbikes and trains, as well as sensing mouse movement and other user behavior." —Christopher Beam, WIRED, 14 Sept. 2023.

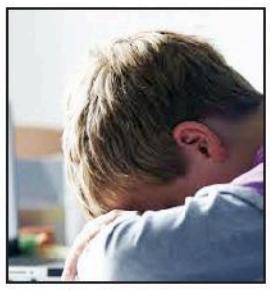
THE ODD WORD

Paltock

Short coat or doublet worn under armour.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

Pay the price



Meaning: The phrase 'Pay the price' means to suffer the consequences of someone's actions.
Origin: Scholars found the first instance of a term with a meaning similar to the idiom 'pay the price' in ancient Greek text, where the word 'tinein' was used to describe punishment and defined as "to pay a price, punish, take vengeance." In Old English, the word 'worth' seen as 'weorþ' had several different meanings; among them, worthiness, merit, or price in terms of equivalent value.
Example: "Jack drank so much last night! Now he's paying the price for it."

QUOTE BOX

Value is more expensive than price. **—Toba Beta**

RIDDLE THIS

Solve the rebus:

WARDWALKROBE

Answer: Walk in wardrobe.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:
1 Indian wheaten flour
5 Actress ___ Peeples
8 ___ ___ speak : familiarly meaning that...? (2,2)
12 Daybreak
13 Measure of length or twelfth letter of alphabet?
14 Disturbance
15 English schools ___ and Harrow
16 Great merriment
18 Archaic negative
19 Nice surprise
20 Courtney ___ : Friends star
21 You too in Latin (2,2)
23 Resin
25 Marks; blemishes
27 Able to be dissolved
31 Indian wrestling great ___ Singh
32 Two-year old sheep
33 Author Hubbard (1,3)
34 Perspicacity
36 Corpulent, porter
37 Pedal digit
38 Secular; a layman
39 Psychedelic drug
42 Fundamental
44 Young bear
47 Pre-dinner drink
49 Skin hole
50 ___ La Douce : famous comedy movie filmed in Paris cafes etc.
51 Undergo decomposition
52 Bone of human forearm
53 Colouring agents
54 Abstract being - "sen" anagram?
55 Itemize or catalogue

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

I	T	C	H	■	I	L	O	■	W	R	A	P
P	I	S	A	■	B	S	P	■	O	E	N	E
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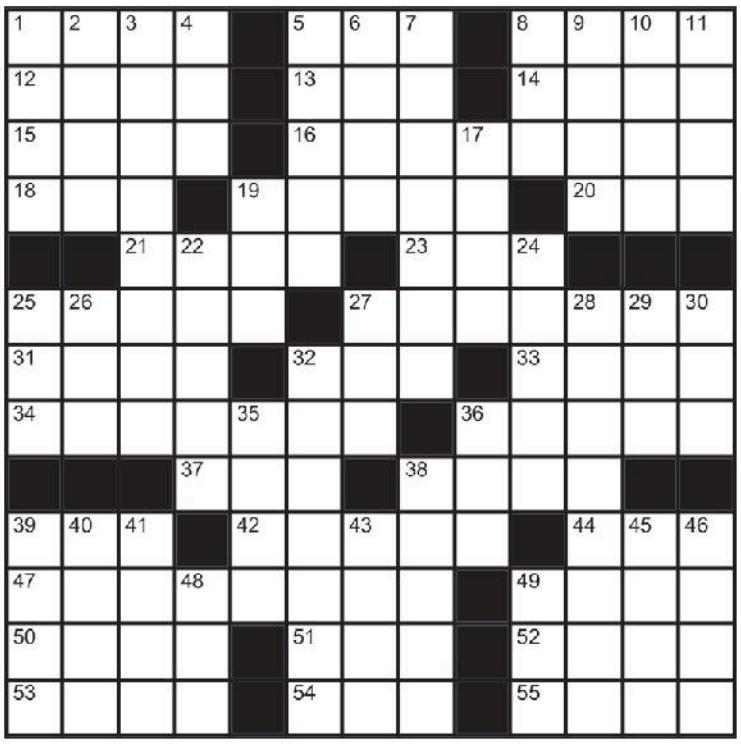
C	A	V	E	■	D	A	N	■	N	Y	E	T
H	E	E	D	■	S	E	A	■	C	R	I	P

DOWN
1 Arabian gulf
2 Good-bye - from famous Indian business house?
3 730 days? (3,5)
4 Girl's name
5 First prime minister of India
6 ____ Natase : Rumanian tennis star of days gone by?
7 Very eager or expectant (3,4)
8 Russian abbreviation, once
9 Of the ear
10 Partisan commander of erstwhile Yugoslavia
11 African antelope
17 Ex-Delhi speedster Wassan
19 Time To Stn.
22 Personal characteristic
24 Many (prefix)
25 Star Wars, initially
26 Is able
27 To put in place
28 Vegetable with green flower heads
29 Bud's movie partner
30 Tolkien's tree like creature
32 Playhouse
35 Mongolian desert
36 Pouchlike structure
38 Raises or elevates
39 ___ a bet : deposited as a wager?
40 Agile; lively
41 Greek commune
43 The city of Jerusalem
45 Big vases
46 ___ the opponent : be victorious?
48 ___ and Garba : folk dances from Gujarat?
49 Monetary unit of Afghanistan



SUDOKU

	8					5	6	
		9	8					4
			4	2				
	6			1		8		
	9		7		4		1	
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				5	2			
2					8	1		
	3	5					2	

Answer to previous puzzle

6	9	7	8	1	3	4	5	2
2	3	5	4	7	6	1	8	9
4	1	8	9	5	2	7	3	6
9	7	6	3	4	5	8	2	1
8	4	3	6	2	1	5	9	7
1	5	2	7	8	9	3	6	4
3	2	4	5	6	7	9	1	8
5	8	1	2	9	4	6	7	3
7	6	9	1	3	8	2	4	5

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

V JZYUR YJ V QTSMR BOVB JRBJ

RMRSKBOYEH JBSVYHOB.

TODAY'S CLUE: H EQUALS G

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: No man is a success in business unless he loves his work.

MOVIE LOVERS

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- **Woodlands Theatre** **Ph: 2422871**
  Ghost (K) - 4 Shows
- **Mahadeshwara Theatre** **Mob: 99008-20093**
  Bhagavanth Kesari (Te) - 4 Shows
- **Lido Theatre** **Ph: 2420885**
  Bhavapoorna (K) - 2 Shows; *Leo (Ta)* - 2 Shows
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- **Balaji Theatre** **Ph: 2497199**
  Yaariyan 2 (H) - 4 Shows
- **Prabha Theatre** **Mob: 98454-14691**
  TRP Rama (K) - 2 Shows; *Garuda Purana (K)* - 2 Shows
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- **Sangam Theatre** **Ph: 2520494**
  Tagarupalya (K) - 4 Shows

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Tagarupalya (K)	(S-1)	10.45 am, 1.20 pm, 7.15 pm
	(S-3)	4.15 pm; (S-4) 10.00 pm
Leo (Ta)	(S-1)	4.00 pm
	(S-2)	1.35 pm
Ghost (K)	(S-1)	9.50 pm
	(S-4)	10.40 am, 1.30 pm, 4.20 pm, 7.10 pm
Garuda Purana (K)	(S-2)	10.50 am
UT 69 (H)	(S-2)	4.45 pm
Keeda Cola (Te)	(S-2)	7.15 pm, 9.45 pm
12th Fail (H)	(S-3)	10.45 am, 7.00 pm
Crazy Keerthy (K)	(S-3)	1.45 pm
Garudan (Ma)	(S-3)	9.55 pm

MYSURU VISION CINEMAS — Ph: 0821 - 2973519

Cycle Savari (K)	(S-1)	10.30 am
Crazy Keerthy (K)	(S-1)	1.30 pm
Garuda Purana (K)	(S-1)	4.00 pm
Basrikatte (K)	(S-1)	6.45 pm
Leo (Ta)	(S-1)	9.15 pm; (S-3) 1.30 pm, 7.00 pm
Leo (K)	(S-4)	1.05 pm
Tagarupalya (K)	(S-2)	10.45 am, 1.40 pm, 4.30 pm, 7.15 pm
	(S-4)	9.15 pm
Ghost (K)	(S-4)	10.30 am, 4.10 pm, 6.45 pm

PVR CINEMAS — 4K Dolby 7.1

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Aankh Micholi (H)	:	9.20 am, 1.15 pm, 10.00 pm
UT 69 (H)	:	10.20 am, 6.20 pm
Tagarupalya (K)	:	10.25 am, 12:25 pm, 4.20 pm, 7.10 pm
12th Fail (H)	:	10.35 am, 3.15 pm, 9.15 pm
Leo (Ta)	:	11.35 am, 6.00 pm, 10:15 pm
Taylor Swift: Eras Tour (E)	:	12 noon, 3.30 pm, 7.00 pm, 10.30 pm
Basrikatte (K)	:	1.00 pm
Ghost (K)	:	1.45 pm, 3.05 pm, 9.30 pm
Keedaa Cola (Te)	:	3.40 pm
TRP Rama (K)	:	4.40 pm
Maa Oori Polimera 2 (Te)	:	6.25 pm
Bhavapoorna (K)	:	7.30 pm
Garudan (Ma)	:	9.00 pm

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Leo (Ta)	:	12.05 pm, 3.35 pm, 9.30 pm
12th Fail (H)	:	12.30 pm, 6.35 pm, 9.15 pm
Ghost (K)	:	12.55 pm, 3.40 pm
		7.05 pm, 10.00 pm
Crazy Keerthy (K)	:	3.35 pm
Tagarupalya (K)	:	3.50 pm, 6.40 pm, 9.45 pm
Shastry Viruddh Shastry (H)	:	6.15 pm

EVENTS TODAY (NOV. 7)

- **Whispers Of Inanimate Beauty:** Still Life Art Exhibition and Sale by M.L. Pavan Kumar, Neralu Belaku Art Gallery Mysore, Coffee City, M.H. Ambarish Road, Vijayanagar 2nd Stage, **up to 10 pm.**
- **Vidyaranya Trust:** Nobel prize-winning Indian physicist C.V. Raman Memorial Programme, Kannada Sahitya Parishat Mysuru President Maddikere Gopal, Karnataka Rajya Vijnana Parishat Convenor Anantharamu, KSOU Economics Professor Dr. R.H. Pavithra, senior social worker K. Raghuram Vajpayee, Corporator M.V. Ramprasad and social activist Vikram Iyengar and others chief guests, Vidyaranya Coaching Centre, #1097, 1st Main Road, 2nd Cross Road, Vidyaranyapuram, **5.30 pm.**
- **Ganabharathi:** Kannada Rajyotsava celebrations, Chowdike Padagalu by Padma Shri awardee B. Manjamma Jogati and Ramavva Jogati team, **6 pm;** Dance for Kannada songs by Abhivyakti team of Vidu. Suhasini Kowlagi, Nataraja Preforming Arts team of Vidu. Nagashree Phanindra, Tapasya Dance School team of Vid. Pavankumar and Nrutyagiri Dance School team of Vidu. Dr. Kripa Padke, Veene Seshanna Bhavana, Adichunchanagiri Road, Kuvempunagar, **7.30 pm onwards.**
- **Vasundhara Performing Arts Centre (VPAC), a Cultural Wing of VPAC&C Trust, Mysuru:** 39th edition of Vasundharotsava-2023 - an Indian Classical Dance & Music Extravaganza, Bharatanatyam by Meghana Bojala and Preethi Ramamurthy, disciples of Vidu. Vani Krishna Murthy (USA), **6.15 pm to 7.15 pm;** Bharatanatyam by Vidu. Sandhya Udupa (Bengaluru); Felicitation to Poorna Devi K. Urs (USA), Sri Nadabrahma Sangeetha Sabha, JLB Road, **7.30 pm to 8.30 pm.** [Mob: 98451-20497]

EVENTS TOMORROW (NOV. 8)

- **Whispers Of Inanimate Beauty:** Still Life Art Exhibition and Sale by M.L. Pavan Kumar, Neralu Belaku Art Gallery Mysore, Coffee City, M.H. Ambarish Road, Vijayanagar 2nd Stage, **7 am to 10 pm.**
- **Mysore Medical College and Research Institute (MMC&RI):** Centenary year celebrations, Medical Exhibition, Library Hall building, ground floor of MMC&RI, Irwin Road, **10 am to 5 pm.** [Entry is free]
- **Zilla Panchayat (ZP), Mysuru and Physical Education Division of Department of School Education and Literacy:** Mysuru District Level Athletics Meet for High School Section, District Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa inaugurates the Athletics Meet in the presence of Chief Minister Siddharamaiah, Animal Husbandry Minister K, Venkatesh guest of honour, Narasimharaja MLA Tanveer Sait presides, Chamundi Vihar Stadium, Nazarbad, **10 am.**
- **Mysuru District Journalists Association (MDJA):** Felicitation to journalists, who have recently received State and District Rajyotsava Awards, Hon. Doctorate Degree and present Endowment Awards, Yeshwanthpur MLA and former District Minister S.T. Somashekar will confer the awards, former MUDA Chairman H.V. Rajeev and Resident Editor of Vijaya Karnataka, Mysuru, Ithichanda Ramesh Uthappa chief guests, MDJA President S.T. Ravikumar presides; honouring of *Star of Mysore* and *Mysuru Mithra* Founder-Editor Dr. K.B. Ganapathy, (Honorary Doctorate from University of Mysore); Niranjan Nikam Endowment Award for senior journalist Rajkumar Bhavasar, Netraraju Endowment Award for senior Press Photographer M.N. Lakshminarayana Yadav of *Star of Mysore* and *Mysuru Mithra*, MDJA premises, Thyagaraja Road, **11 am.**
- **Jumbo Circus:** Three shows, Horse Park grounds, behind Mysuru Zoo, **1 pm, 4 pm and 7 pm.**
- **Vasundhara Performing Arts Centre (VPAC), a Cultural Wing of VPAC&C Trust, Mysuru:** 39th edition of Vasundharotsava-2023 - an Indian Classical Dance & Music Extravaganza, Mohiniyattam by Vidu. Sujatha Nair (Mumbai), **6.15 pm to 7.15 pm;** Bharatanatyam by Vidu. Soundarya Srivatsa (Bengaluru); Felicitation to Noopura Trust Director Prof. K. Ramamurthy Rao (Mysuru), Sri Nadabrahma Sangeetha Sabha, JLB Road, **7.30 pm to 8.30 pm.**
- **Rotary Ivory City:** Celebration of 8th Charter Day, IPDG Rtn. Prakash Karanth chief guest, Hotel Roopa Elite, V.V. Mohalla, **7 pm.**

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	(S-3)	12.35 pm; (S-4) 1.55 pm
Leo (Ta)	(S-2)	12.55 pm; (S-3) 9.30 pm
	(S-4)	10.30 am
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T.R.P Rama (K)	(S-4)	4.45 pm
Keedaa Cola (Te)	(S-3)	9.55 am, 3.25 pm
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Basrikatte (K)	:	1.25 pm
UT 69 (H)	:	1.45 pm, 10.30 pm
Crazy Keerthy (K)	:	4.05 pm
Bhavapoorna (K)	:	6.45 pm
Garuda Purana (K)	:	9.30 pm

NOTE: Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15.

Samskrutika Sambhrama cultural contests

Mysuru, Nov. 7- Rotary Central Mysore has organised 'Samskrutika Sambhrama-2023' cultural competitions on Nov. 18 and 19 at DAV Public School auditorium in J.P. Nagar.

Competitions for LKG/ UKG students: Fancy Dress and Drawing.

Competitions for Primary School, High School and PU students: Singing - Bhavageethe (solo), Film Songs (solo), Patriotic Songs (group), Essay Writing, Dance - Film Songs (solo), Bharatanatyam (solo) and Folk Dance (group).

Competitions under Open Category: Devotional Songs (solo), Mehandi, Arathi Thali, Flower Arrangement & Rangoli.

Healthy Baby Contest will be held in the age categories 0-1 years, 1-2 years and 2-3 years.

For details, contact Rtn. Subramanya Tantri on Mob: 94482-71837 or Rtn. Samartha Vaidya on 98458-65485 or Rtn. Rajesh Darera on 90360-19604.

KARNAPEX-2024 Postcard Fest

Mysuru, Nov. 7- As part of Postcard Fest KARNAPEX-2024 to be held at Bengaluru in January, 2024, the Department of Posts, Government of India, has organised drawing competition for school children, according to Senior Superintendent of Post Offices, Mysuru, Dr. Angel Raj.

Topic for the competition is 'Postman as a Super Hero.' Competition must be conducted at the schools itself in the following categories: 1st and 2nd std; 3rd to 5th std; 6th to 8th std; 9th to 12th std.

Competition should be conducted for a total of 20 students with 5 students in each category.

Participants should draw in A3 or A4 sheets. Last date to conduct competition is Nov. 10.

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